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## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.:

10/521,966

Group: 3731

Filed: June 7, 2005

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For: A SEMIAUTOMATIC DEVICE FOR SUTURING WITH SURGICAL THREAD

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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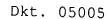
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Honorable Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are found on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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